

Aproximación de π

Sea $k \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. Para un polígono regular de n lados inscrito en una circunferencia se tiene:

n	perímetro/diámetro	n	perímetro/diámetro	n	perímetro/diámetro
3	$3\sqrt{3}/2$	4	$2\sqrt{2}$	5	$5\sqrt{(5-\sqrt{5})/2}/2$
6	3	8	$4\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2}}$	10	$5\sqrt{2-\sqrt{(3+\sqrt{5})/2}}$
12	$6\sqrt{2-\sqrt{3}}$	16	$8\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}$	20	$10\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2+\sqrt{(3+\sqrt{5})/2}}}$
24	$12\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2+\sqrt{3}}}$	32	$16\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}}$	40	$20\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2+\sqrt{(3+\sqrt{5})/2}}}}$
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots
$3 \cdot 2^k$	$3 \cdot 2^{k-1}\sqrt{2-a_k}$	$4 \cdot 2^k$	$4 \cdot 2^{k-1}\sqrt{2-b_k}$	$5 \cdot 2^k$	$5 \cdot 2^{k-1}\sqrt{2-c_k}$
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots
∞	π	∞	π	∞	π

Donde,

$$a_k = \begin{cases} -1, & k = 0 \\ \sqrt{2+a_{k-1}}, & k > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$b_k = \begin{cases} 0, & k = 0 \\ \sqrt{2+b_{k-1}}, & k > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$c_k = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}, & k = 0 \\ \sqrt{2+c_{k-1}}, & k > 0 \end{cases}$$

Además,

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{3 \cdot 2^k} = \frac{\sqrt{2-a_k}}{2}$$

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{4 \cdot 2^k} = \frac{\sqrt{2-b_k}}{2}$$

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{5 \cdot 2^k} = \frac{\sqrt{2-c_k}}{2}$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{3 \cdot 2^k} = \frac{\sqrt{2+a_k}}{2}$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{4 \cdot 2^k} = \frac{\sqrt{2+b_k}}{2}$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{5 \cdot 2^k} = \frac{\sqrt{2+c_k}}{2}$$